The Muscatine County Board of Supervisors met in special session with Holliday, Mather, Sauer and Sorensen. Saucedo was absent. Chairperson Sauer presiding.

On a motion by Sorensen, second by Mather, the agenda was approved as presented. Ayes: All.

The Board met as a Board of Canvassers for the General Election held on Tuesday, November 15, 2022. The Board certified the following to be a true and correct abstract of the votes of the election. There were a total of 13,297 ballots cast as follows:

FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR – 13,193 total votes were cast: Chuck Grassley received 7,623 votes, Michael Franken received 5,550 votes and there was a scattering of 20 votes.

FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE-DISTRICT 1 – 13,158 total votes were cast: Mariannette Miller-Meeks received 7,744 votes, Christina Bohannan received 5,406 votes and there was a scattering of 8 votes.

FOR GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR – 13,231 total votes were cast: Kim Reynolds/Adam Gregg received 7,902 votes, Deidre DeJear/Eric Van Lancker received 4,950 votes, Rick Stewart/Marco Battaglia received 371 votes and there was a scattering of 8 votes.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE – 13,100 total votes were cast: Paul D. Pate received 8,067 votes, Joel Miller received 5,025 votes and there was a scattering of 8 votes.

FOR AUDITOR OF STATE – 13,074 total votes were cast: Todd Halbur received 7,193 votes, Rob Sand received 5,874 votes and there was a scattering of 7 votes.

FOR TREASURER OF STATE – 13,068 total votes were cast: Roby Smith received 7,429 votes, Michael L. Fitzgerald received 5,631 votes and there was a scattering of 8 votes.

FOR SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE – 13,030 total votes were cast: Mike Naig received 8,206 votes, John Norwood received 4,815 votes and there was a scattering of 9 votes.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL – 13,111 total votes were cast: Brenna Bird received 7,259 votes, Tom Miller received 5,841 votes, and there was a scattering of 11 votes.

FOR STATE SENATOR-DISTRICT 41 - 2,054 total votes were cast: Kerry Gruenhagen received 1,179 votes, Deb VanderGaast received 874 votes and there was a scattering of 1 vote.

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE-DISTRICT 82 – 1,908 total votes were cast: Bobby Kaufmann received 1,308 votes, Clyde Gibson received 580 votes and there was a scattering of 20 votes.

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE-DISTRICT 95 - 1,312 total votes were cast: Taylor Collins received 1,280 votes and there was a scattering of 32 votes.

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE-DISTRICT 96 – 9,446 total votes were cast: Mark Cisneros received 5,684 votes, Michelle D. Servadio Elias received 3,757 votes and there was a scattering of 5 votes.

FOR CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 1: Summary: Provides that the right of the people of Iowa to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed. The sovereign state of Iowa affirms and recognizes the right to keep and bear arms as a fundamental right. Any and all restrictions of this right shall be subject to strict scrutiny. 12,601 total votes were cast: Yes received 8,987 votes and No received 3,614 votes.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS-DISTRICT 1 – 13,072 total votes were cast: Danny Chick, Jr. received 7,696 votes, Diana Broderson received 5,341 votes and there was a scattering of 35 votes. Danny Chick, Jr. was elected.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS-DISTRICT 2 – 10,344 total votes were cast: Kurt Kirchner received 10,039 votes and there was a scattering of 305 votes. Kurt Kirchner was elected.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS-DISTRICT 3 – 10,271 total votes were cast: Scott Sauer received 9,968 votes and there was a scattering of 303 votes. Scott Sauer was elected.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS-DISTRICT 4 – 10,085 total votes were cast: Nathan Mather received 9,792 votes and there was a scattering of 293 votes. Nathan Mather was elected.

FOR COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS-DISTRICT 5 - 10,114 total votes were cast: Jeff Sorensen received 9,845 votes and there was a scattering of 269 votes. Jeff Sorensen was elected.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER – 10,601 total votes were cast: Amy L. Zybarth received 10,386 votes and there was a scattering of 215 votes. Amy L. Zybarth was elected.

FOR COUNTY RECORDER – 10,247 total votes were cast: Sarah Bodman Hearst received 10,038 votes and there was a scattering of 209 votes. Sarah Bodman Hearst was elected.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY – 10,121 total votes were cast: James P. Barry received 9,863 votes and there was a scattering of 258 votes. James P. Barry was elected.

FOR SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS--(ELECT TWO) (FOUR YEAR TERM) – 15,089 total votes were cast; Robert Beatty received 8,442 votes, Travis Glynn received 6,552 votes and there was a scattering of 95 votes. Robert Beatty and Travis Glynn were elected.

FOR COUNTY AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION COUNCILMEMBERS-(ELECT FIVE) (FOUR YEAR TERM) – 38,076 total votes were cast: Tyler Feldman received 7,744 votes, Douglas Nolte received 7,419 votes, Claudia Artola received 7,126 votes, Katelyn Boeding received 7,349 votes, Leslie Eichelberger received 8,305 votes and there was a scattering of 133 votes. Tyler Feldman, Douglas Nolte, Claudia Artola, Katelyn Boeding and Leslie Eichelberger were elected.

FOR BLOOMINGTON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) – 1,561 total votes were cast: Scott Carver received 870 votes, Gerald L. Rieke Jr. received 682 votes and there was a scattering of 9 votes. Scott Carver and Gerald L. Rieke Jr. were elected.

FOR BLOOMINGTON TOWNSHIP CLERK – 897 total votes were cast: Jerry Timm received 894 votes and there was a scattering of 3 votes. Jerry Timm was elected.

FOR CEDAR TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) – 146 total votes were cast: Carolyn Coder received 76 votes, Charles Snyder received 70 votes. Carolyn Coder and Charles Snyder were elected.

FOR CEDAR TOWNSHIP CLERK – 88 total votes were cast: Dana Pittman received 88 votes. Dana Pittman was elected.

FRUITLAND TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT ONE) – 26 total votes were cast: There was a scattering of 26 votes. No one was elected.

FRUITLAND TOWNSHIP CLERK – 250 total votes were cast: Lynn M. Bartenhagen received 247 votes and there was a scattering of 3 votes. Lynn M. Bartenhagen was elected.

FULTON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT ONE) – 195 total votes were cast: Keith A. Martz received 195 votes. Keith A. Martz was elected.

FULTON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE- TO FILL A VACANCY (ELECT ONE) – 13 total votes were cast: There was a scattering of 13 votes. No one was elected.

FULTON TOWNSHIP CLERK – 176 total votes were cast: Rick. Riessen received 176 votes. Rick Riessen was elected.

GOSHEN TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) – 203 total votes were cast: Richard Brand received 105 votes, Mark Madsen received 97 votes and there was a scattering of 1 vote. Richard Brand and Mark Madsen were elected.

GOSHEN TOWNSHIP CLERK – 107 total votes were cast: Travis Parry received 107 votes. Travis Parry was elected.

LAKE TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT ONE) – 201 total votes were cast: Ralph Danner received 201 votes. Ralph Danner was elected.

LAKE TOWNSHIP CLERK – 198 total votes were cast: Randall Eichelberger received 198 votes. Randall Eichelberger was elected.

MONTPELIER TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) – 457 total votes were cast: Mark Fenner received 227 votes, Martin A. Paul received 225 votes and there was a scattering of 5 votes. Mark Fenner and Martin A. Paul were elected.

MONTPELIER TOWNSHIP CLERK – 269 total votes were cast: James Bina received 263 votes and there was a scattering of 6 votes. James Bina was elected.

MOSCOW TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) – 444 total votes were cast: Dennis Anderson received 229 votes, John Robert Bierman received 212 votes and there was a scattering of 3 votes. Dennis Anderson and John Robert Bierman were elected.

MOSCOW TOWNSHIP CLERK – 251 total votes were cast: Mardell McConnaha received 248 votes and there was a scattering of 3 votes. Mardell McConnaha was elected.

ORONO TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) – 92 total votes were cast: Larry Fitchner received 44 votes, Don McCullough, Sr. received 47 votes and there was a scattering of 1 vote. Larry Fitchner and Don McCullough, Sr. were elected.

ORONO TOWNSHIP CLERK – 57 total votes were cast: Sue O'Donnell received 56 votes and there was a scattering of 1 vote. Sue O'Donnell was elected.

PIKE TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) – 170 total votes were cast: Gene Hammons received 143 votes, Casey Hudson received 12 votes, and there was a scattering of 15 votes. Gene Hammons was elected. Casey Hudson was elected by draw.

PIKE TOWNSHIP CLERK – 165 total votes were cast: Jeff Chown received 165 votes. Jeff Chown was elected.

SEVENTY-SIX TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) -262 total votes were cast: Tom Furlong received 132 votes, Janice A. Noll received 122 votes and there was a scattering of 8 votes. Tom Furlong and Janice Noll were elected.

SEVENTY-SIX TOWNSHIP CLERK – 142 total votes were cast: Deborah Paulson received 140 votes and there was a scattering of 2 votes. Deborah Paulson was elected.

SWEETLAND TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT ONE) -611 total votes were cast: Daniel Dipple received 606 votes and there was a scattering of 5 votes. Daniel Dipple was elected.

SWEETLAND TOWNSHIP CLERK – 618 total votes were cast: Carolyn Leach received 615 votes and there was a scattering of 3 votes. Carolyn Leach was elected.

WAPSINONOC TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT TWO) – 533 total votes were cast: Austin Maas received 275 votes, Bill Frauenholtz received 252 votes and there was a scattering of 6 votes. Austin Maas and Bill Frauenholtz were elected.

WAPSINONOC TOWNSHIP CLERK – 288 total votes were cast: Jerry Anderson received 284 votes and there was a scattering of 4 votes. Jerry Anderson was elected.

WILTON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE-(ELECT ONE) -126 total votes were cast: Daniel Oien received 125 votes and there was a scattering of 1 vote. Daniel Oien was elected.

WILTON TOWNSHIP CLERK – 129 total votes were cast: Holly Barrett received 129 votes. Holly Barrett was elected.

FOR THE RETENTION OF SUPREME COURT JUDGES:

Matthew McDermott received 7,244 affirmative votes and 3,125 negative votes. Dana L. Oxley received 7,451 affirmative votes and 3,002 negative votes.

FOR THE RETENTION OF JUDGES (COURT OF APPEALS):

Paul B. Ahlers received 7,264 affirmative votes and 2,825 negative votes. Gina Badding received 7,436 affirmative votes and 2,745 negative votes.

FOR THE RETENTION OF JUDGES (DISTRICT COURT JUDGES):

Jeffrey D. Bert received 7,420 affirmative votes and 2,693 negative votes. Meghan Corbin received 7,595 affirmative votes and 2,525 negative votes. Stuart P. Werling received 7,320 affirmative votes and 2,768 negative votes.

FOR THE RETENTION OF JUDGES (DISTRICT ASSOCIATE JUDGES):

Kimberly Shepherd received 7,583 affirmative votes and 2,486 negative votes. Michael E. Motto received 7,324 affirmative votes and 2,660 negative votes.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:12 A.M.

ATTEST:	
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County Auditor	County Board of Supervisors